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PARTS 40, 41, 42 AND APPENDIX N

MAJOR CHANGES

1. 40.23 Exhibit I: The exhibit is updated to reflect the most recent list of controlled substances.
2. 40.64 Notes: The notes are revised to add the definition of “stowaway” as defined in Section 361 of Pub. L. 104-308.
3. 40.207 Regs/Statutes, Notes and Procedural Notes: These notes and procedural notes are added to implement Sec. 401 of Pub. L. 104-114. This section makes excludable from the United States any alien who has confiscated property of U.S. nationals or who traffics in such property.
4. 42.32(c) Regs/Statutes: Sec. 203(e) of Pub. L. 105-100 has been added to the Related Statutory Provisions.
5. 42.33 Exhibit I: This exhibit has been revised to indicate the countries currently qualifying for the Diversity Visa (DV) Program.
6. 42.74 Notes: Minor revisions have been made throughout the section.
7. Appendix N, Exhibit III: Reflects changes to certain regulatory fees imposed by INS.
8. Revisions since the last update appear in italics. The italics will be removed the next time the section is updated. Only the current changes will appear in italics. Italics provide the historical record of changes.
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